

## WILL HAS SPOKEN HIS MIND.

Extended Explanation of the North-western Railway Situation.

THE AND HIS ASSOCIATES SAVED THE COUNTRY.

That the Union Pacific Was About to Get Control of All Transcontinental Lines—Took a Shot at Governor Van Sant.

St. Paul, Minn., December 21.—President of the Great Northern railway company, this afternoon gave the following statement to the Associated Press:

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Co.'s shows, while feeding the lions some chickens Thursday, had the misfortune to have his hand caught by Prince, one of the company's largest lions. It was dressed immediately by a local physician, who said it would not be dangerous. They gave a splendid performance and it was enjoyed by all our citizens.

BIG DEAL AT JENNINGS, LA.

Prospective Oil Land Sold for \$5000 an Acre.

Jennings, La., December 20.—One of the most notable transactions in oil circles has just transpired, which is the sale of six and three-fourths acres of land near the Jennings No. 1 oil well, being lot No. 15 in the Jennings Herwood Oil syndicate's subdivision, fractional portion No. 48. The sale was made by the Jennings Herwood Oil syndicate (limited), the price paid being \$5000 per acre, or a total of \$37,500 for the lot of six and one-fourth acres.

The purchasers will start developing at once. The first well will be put down near the Jennings No. 1 well.

The Southern Oil company well is down 1300 feet, and they have struck oil at nearly fifty feet of hard rock. They expect something when they get through the rock.

The Prairie Mamou oil well is down nearly 1000 feet, and they are expecting something startling nearly every day.

A TRAFFIC IN BABIES

Has Been Unearthed by the Police of San Antonio.

San Antonio, Texas, December 21.—The police authorities of this city have brought to light a business conducted by a female who probably has no parallel in the state.

The woman makes a business of selling babies, and in order to keep up a supply sufficient for the demand, runs a lying-in house in the suburbs.

The exposure was brought about by her selling an infant that was born last night to a woman who lives in this city.

The woman who conducts this business says she has contracts now for all the babies in the city up to January 15.

The boy crop has been unusually large this season, and has been the means of putting in circulation thousands of dollars in this neighborhood.

Second Court of Appeals.

Fort Worth, Texas, December 21.—The following is the proceedings in the court of civil appeals for the second appeal.

## GASOLINE IS BEING MADE

From Beaumont Oil at the Guffey Refinery at Port Arthur.

A NEW REFINERY IS TO BE BUILT

By the German-American Company. Stockholders of the Central Asphalt Company in the City.

Beaumont, Texas, December 21.—The Port Arthur refinery of the J. M. Guffey Petroleum company is making a gasoline from Beaumont oil that is said to be equal in every way to the gasoline had in the market, and it is contended by some that the gasoline made by the Guffey company is the better of the two.

Mr. A. Tomlinson, vice president of the Simmons Hardware Co. of this city, brought samples of the gasoline back with him from Port Arthur. He is enthusiastic over the value of the product, having seen it used in a gasoline engine.

The work of the refinery at Port Arthur is fast refuting the statement of "oil chemists" that the oil could not be refined at a profit.

At a meeting of the directors of the German-American Oil company, held this morning, it was decided that the company will increase its capital stock to \$2,000,000.

This will give the company practically 1,000,000 shares in the treasury, and from the sale of this stock it is proposed to construct two refineries. The company has three refineries here and nine wells in the Corsicana field.

A number of the officers and stockholders of the Central Asphalt and Refining company, which arrived this morning, visited the scene of that company's operations today. The work of installing the immense plant is now fairly under way.

Mr. Culmer, the inventor of the process to produce gasoline from crude oil, is in charge of the work. He showed the visitors a number of the plants and gave them an outline of the work.

The Citizens Consolidated Oil company has sold to B. H. McNatt, trustee, one-sixteenth of an acre in block of the Vatch street, for the sum of \$7000.

The following stocks were sold today on the Beaumont oil exchange:

Beaumont, 1000 shares at 10c. Drillers, 200 shares at 15c. Gravel, 1000 shares at 10c. Gravel, 1000 shares at 10c. Gravel, 1000 shares at 10c.

FROM THE JENNINGS, LA. FIELD.

One Well Spouted and Others Are Near

To any one suffering from Bright's disease, weak kidneys, stone in the bladder, or what is commonly known among women as "female weakness" we will send ABSOLUTELY FREE A SAMPLE BOTTLE OF DR. KENNEDY'S FAVORITE REMEDY, which will positively cure any case of kidney, liver, blood or bladder trouble and will restore you to perfect health.

Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is the only kidney medicine that acts as a laxative. All other causes constipation, which imperils the patient's health.

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"Do you desire to urinate often? Are you compelled to get up frequently during the night?"

"Do you have pain in the small of the back?"

"Do you have a scalding pain in passing?"

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Port some cases in which constipation will stand 24 hours. If it has continued for it is pale or discolored, milky or bloody, stringy or rosy, your kidneys or bladder are in a bad condition. Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy speedsily cures such dangerous symptoms as pain in the back, constipation, blood or urine, frequent urination, especially at night, and all the unpleasant and dangerous effects of the system produced by the use of purgatives, wine or beer.

William F. Bader of Bridgeport, N. Y., writes: My little granddaughter had been the worst way; she was a mass of sores, my wife gave her Favorite Remedy, and the sores disappeared entirely and her skin became smooth and clear. Mr. Bader says he was also cured of kidney and bladder trouble by Favorite Remedy.

Remember, Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is absolutely harmless. It is absolutely and purely vegetable. It contains no narcotics or minerals in any form, no dangerous stimulants, no mercury or poisons. Children and invalids can take it with perfect safety. It is a blessing in old age. It will cure any case of kidney, liver, bladder or blood disease.

Dr. David Kennedy's "Favorite Remedy" is the only Kidney Medicine that Does Not Constipate. It Acts as a Laxative.

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By special arrangement with the Dr. David Kennedy Corporation, the readers of this paper are enabled to obtain a trial bottle of this wonderful medicine and pamphlet of valuable medical advice absolutely free. Full postage address to the DR. DAVID KENNEDY CORPORATION, Rondout, N. Y., and mention having seen this liberal offer. Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is sold by all druggists at \$1.00 a bottle, or 6 bottles \$5.00, less than one cent a dose.

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With my scientific blood treatment, I remove every impure element, positively cure all affections of the skin, and restore to the complexion a healthy, clear, and rosy glow. I remove every line and furrow, every spot and blemish from the face of the body, rendering the complexion clear and smooth.

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